

COUNTY OF YORK

MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 9, 2001 (BOS Mtg. 05/01/01)

TO: York County Board of Supervisors

FROM: James O. McReynolds, County Administrator

SUBJECT: Approval of Procurement Action

The attached resolution provides for the approval of County purchases by the Board of Supervisors in accordance with its policy for procurements of over \$30,000. The Board's approval is requested for procurement of the following:

Seaford Vacuum Sewer Extension Project – Invitations for Bid (IFB) were issued and advertised for the construction of the Seaford Vacuum Sewer Extension Project. The project consists of the installation of approximately 2,420 linear feet of vacuum sewer main and laterals along Seaford Road and includes the associated vacuum pits and collection sump assemblies. Three bids were received with the lowest responsive and responsible bidder being J. Sanders Construction Company in the amount of \$151,517. Sufficient funds are available in the capital improvements budget to complete this project.

Submersible Sewage Pumps – The pumps currently in use in the Whispering Winds pump station are nearing the end of their useful lives and are due to be replaced. Installing pumps other than those for which the system was designed would result in a retrofit that would be cost prohibitive, and staff recommends that no substitute be allowed for the make and model. There is only one authorized dealership for Fairbanks-Morse pumps in the region: Sydnor Hydrodynamics (Richmond). The replacement of these two units total \$36,998. Based on the manufacturer's list price for these pumps, \$50,116, and other pumps of similar capacity, this is a competitive price. Sufficient funds are available in the CIP to complete this procurement.

These procurements have been conducted in accordance with State procurement laws and/or County procurement policy, and I recommend that they be approved through the adoption of proposed Resolution R01-81.

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Attachment

- Proposed Resolution R01-81